



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R.  
§1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 3731**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicants:** Takeaki Nakamura, et al.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 26, 2006, Applicants respectfully request entering of the amendments and reconsideration of the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks:

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